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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Shinji FUJIMOTO
SUPPORT FOR RECORDING MATERIAL AND THERMAL RECORDING
MATERIAL USING THE SAME
Assignee: FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.
Our Ref. Q80680

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising fifty three (53) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, one (1) sheet of drawing, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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|---------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|---|--|---|---------|---|-----------------|
| Total claims | <u>20</u> | - | <u>20</u> | = | | x | \$18.00 | = | <u>\$0.00</u> |
| Independent claims | <u>2</u> | - | <u>3</u> | = | | x | \$86.00 | = | <u>\$0.00</u> |
| Base Fee | | | | | | | | | \$770.00 |
| TOTAL FILING FEE | | | | | | | | | \$770.00 |
| Recordation of Assignment | | | | | | | | | \$40.00 |
| TOTAL FEE | | | | | | | | | \$810.00 |

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| JAPAN | 2003-090063 | March 28, 2003 |

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Sunday, March 28, 2004, the filing of this application on Monday, March 29, 2004 is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.

Respectfully submitted,
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